

1
2
3
4
5
6
7 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
8 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**
9

10 RONALD SLAUGHTER,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 AMERICAN ARBITRATION
14 ASSOCIATION, *et al.*,

15 Defendants.

Case No. 2:10-CV-01437-KJD-GWF

ORDER

16
17 Before the Court is the Motion for Attorney's Fees and Costs of Suit (#16) filed by
18 Defendants American Arbitration Association, Howard Roitman, Sandra L. Marshall, and Lynn
19 Cortinas (collectively "Defendants"). No opposition has been filed.

20 The background of this case is set forth in the Court's June 6, 2011 Order (#13). In that
21 Order, the Court dismissed the case and ruled that Defendants were "immune from civil liability
22 under Nevada's Uniform Arbitration Act."

23 Nevada Revised Statute § 38.229 states in relevant part:

24 If a person commences a civil action against an arbitrator, arbitral
25 organization or representative of an arbitral organization arising from the services of
26 the arbitrator, organization or representative ... and the court decides that the
arbitrator, arbitral organization or representative is immune from civil liability ... the
court shall award to the arbitrator, organization or representative reasonable
attorney's fees and other reasonable expenses of litigation.

1 The instant Motion seeks attorney's fees in the amount of \$11,957.00 and costs of \$984.33.
2 Plaintiff has not opposed this Motion or disputed the amount requested by Defendants. See Local
3 Rule 7-2. The Court has reviewed the Affidavit of Richard F. Scotti and determined that the fees and
4 expenses requested were necessary and reasonable.

5 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Defendant's Motion for Attorney's Fees and
6 Costs of Suit (#16) is **GRANTED**.

7 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk of the Court enter **JUDGEMENT** for
8 Defendants and against Plaintiff in the amount of \$11,957.00 for attorney's fees and \$984.33 for
9 costs.¹

10 DATED this 9th day of December 2011.

11
12
13 

14 Kent J. Dawson
15 United States District Judge
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24

25 _____
26 ¹ The Docket reflects that the Clerk of Court has taxed the costs requested in this Motion in the amount of \$984.33 (#17). This Order only applies to any portion of the costs not yet paid by Plaintiff.